GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PLANNING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4705
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INFLATION AND FARMERS`SUICIDE .
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Will the Minister of PLANNING be pleased to state:

(a) whether a meeting of the Planning Commission was convened recently to discuss, issues pertaining to price rise and farmers suicides etc ;

(b) if so, the outcome of the meeting; and

(c) the steps proposed to be taken by the Government to control inflation and mitigate the conditions of the farmers?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING (SHRI M.V. RAJASEKHARAN)

(a): Last Full Planning Commission Meeting was held on 18th October, 2006 to consider draft Approach Paper to the 11th Five Year Plan. No Full Planning Commission has been convened recently to discuss the specific issues mentioned.

(b) and (c): Questions do not arise.